

**REPORT/RECOMMENDATION TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
OF SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA
AND RECORD OF ACTION**

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JULY 8, 2003

FROM: MARK H. UFFER, Director
Arrowhead Regional Medical Center

SUBJECT: APPOINTMENTS FOR MEDICAL STAFF MEMBERSHIP AND/OR CLINICAL
PRIVILEGES OF ARROWHEAD REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER

RECOMMENDATION: Approve the appointments, completion of provisional period, request for additional clinical privileges, reappointments, revisions to clinical privileges or termination of Medical Staff Membership.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: To provide service at Arrowhead Regional Medical Center, all practitioners must obtain membership and/or clinical privileges in accordance with the Medical Staff Bylaws and standards of the American Osteopathic Association (AOA). The Board of Supervisors' approval is necessary to comply with the Rules and Regulations set forth in the Arrowhead Regional Medical Center Medical Staff Bylaws and AOA standards.

The practitioners on the attached list have made applications for appointment, completion of provisional period, reappointment; have been provisionally evaluated and reviewed; or requested termination from the Medical Staff.

All requests for Medical Staff membership and/or clinical privileges have been processed in accordance with the Medical Staff Bylaws and Rules and Regulations and recommended for approval by the Medical Executive Committee.

REVIEW BY OTHERS: This item has been reviewed by Medical Staff Executive Committee (James Matiko, MD, Chairman) on June 26, 2003 and HSS Administration (Carol Hughes, Administrative Analyst) on June 26, 2003.

FINANCIAL IMPACT: Approval of these appointments will not result in any local cost to the County.

COST REDUCTION REVIEW: The County Administrative Office has reviewed this agenda item and recommends approval as it will impose no local cost to the County.

SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT(S): All

PRESENTER: Mark H. Uffer, Director, Arrowhead Regional Medical Center, 580-6150.

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APPLICATIONS FOR PROVISIONAL APPOINTMENT

Minh-Hang Chau, MD - Urology – Surgery
Terry Fowler, DO – Internal Medicine – Medicine
James Kim, M DO – Emergency Medicine – Emergency Medicine
San S. Nwe, MD – Anesthesiology – Anesthesia
Paul Rudolph, MD – Family Medicine – Family Medicine
Elvera Whiteford, MD – Family Medicine – Family Medicine
Malaika Witter-Hewitt, MD – Otolaryngology – Surgery

2. COMPLETION OF PROVISIONAL PERIOD

Sevan Garboushian, DO – Advance to Courtesy
Bruce Gipe, MD – Advance to Active Teaching
Theresa Siefken, MD – Advance to Courtesy

3. APPLICATIONS FOR REAPPOINTMENT

Mohammed Aslam, MD – Active Teaching – Cardiology – Medicine
Steven Beutler, MD – Consulting – Infectious Disease – Medicine
Carl Bush, CNM – Allied Health - Midwife – Women's Health Services
Laura Chang-Strauss, MD – Active Teaching - Pediatrics – Pediatrics
Samir Hage, MD – Courtesy – OB/GYN – Women's Health Services
Kiem Hioe, MD – Active Teaching - Allergy/Immunology – Pediatrics
Farabi Hussain, MD – Active Teaching – General Surgery – Surgery
Allan Kavalich, MD – Courtesy Teaching – Nephrology – Medicine
Eugene Kwong, MD – Active Teaching – Emergency Medicine – Emergency Medicine
Department
Thet Oo, MD – Active Teaching – Internal Medicine – Medicine
Lawrence Raphael, MD – Active Teaching – Cardiology/Internal Medicine – Medicine
David Siambanes, MD – Courtesy – Orthopedics – Orthopedic Surgery
Christopher Tsai, MD – Courtesy Teaching – Urology – Surgery
Thelma Yap, MD – Courtesy Teaching – Neonatology – Pediatrics

4. TERMINATION IN MEMBERSHIP AND/OR CLINICAL PRIVILEGES

Shuang Bai, MD – Contract Termination effective 9/1/02
Ulric Gilkes, MD – Contract Termination effective 6/1/03
Jayanthi Ravikumar, MD – Voluntarily Resigned effective 7/8/03
Pierre Ujkic, DO – Contract Termination effective 4/1/03
Katherine Wesseling, MD – Contract Termination effective 12/18/02
Paul Wolfrom, DO – Contract Termination effective 5/7/03
Diane Wolke, CNM – Contract Termination effective 5/18/03

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